

GRANGE HITS PROPOSED SENATE CHANGE

Opposition to proposed reapportionment of the California senate on a basis of population was strongly voiced at a meeting of the Tulare county Pomona Grange held the evening of Mar. 11 at the Bartlett school cafeteria in Porterville.

With 75 persons present, representing every active Grange in Tulare county, opinion definitely favored a "no" vote on the proposed change in senate representation.

Issue involved concerns a move originating in the large population centers of the state to place an initiative measure on the November ballot calling for an amendment to the California constitution by which representation in the state senate would be placed on a population basis rather than on a district basis as it now is.

Opponents of the move point out that such a plan would give control of the senate to the "big city" areas while at the same time practically eliminating the interest of the rural areas of the state.

At the present time, the state operates on the "federal system"

(Continued on Page 7)

Junior Livestock Show Is Considered At Meeting Of Chamber Fair Committee

The possibility of a junior livestock show, to be held in connection with Patrons' day at Porterville Union High school and possibly continuing on into the following day, was discussed Tuesday evening at a meeting of members of the fair committee of the Porterville chamber of commerce held in the Porterville city hall.

As considered by the group, the show might be opened on Patrons' day, probably May 14, with Future Farmer stock featured, then continued on the following day as the official junior show with livestock also entered by 4-H club members.

As discussed, entries in the show would include beef animals, hogs, dairy cattle, poultry, rabbits and other stock being raised by Future Farmers and 4-H

The Farm Tribune

VOL. 1—NO. 37

Published Weekly At Porterville, California

MARCH 19, 1948

STORM BRINGS HOPE; POWER IS STILL SHORT

More than an inch of rain in valley areas and snowfall in the Sierra Nevadas brought revived hope for improved crops and livestock conditions to farmers of this area, however, the big problem of an electrical power shortage remains unsolved.

Cattlemen feel that the current storm will bring new feed that may "put them over the hump" as far as drought conditions are concerned and grain men are talking of at least stock feed in fields that previously stood excellent chances of being complete failures.

Irrigation is still being continued in orchard areas, however, if forecasts of continued rain are true, pumping may be

(Continued to Page 16)

members as projects.

A definite decision on scope of the show and actual plan hinges on a survey being made now by committee members concerning facilities available, cost of additional facilities and sources of finance.

Next meeting of the committee which will probably be enlarged, is scheduled for the evening of March 30, at 8 o'clock in Porterville city hall.

Attending the Tuesday meeting were: "Babe" Hodgson, acting chairman; Dr. M. L. Grimsley, secretary of the Porterville chamber of commerce; Rolla Bishop, Allen Coates, L. N. Carpenter, Cyrille Faure, Chester Gilbert, Vernon Gill, Joe Menne, Freeland Farnsworth and Bill Rodgers.

CANDIDATE



Rodgers L. Moore For Supervisor

Rodgers L. Moore, Porterville business man and civic leader, today announced his candidacy for supervisor in Tulare county's first supervisorial district.

Mr. Moore, who has resided in Porterville since early boyhood, states that if elected, he will work for the best interest of his district and of Tulare county; that he will seek to bring about harmonious cooperation between the Tulare county board of supervisors and other governmental bodies of the county and state and that he will direct his efforts toward sensible economy in county government.

Son of the late James R. Moore and Mrs. Maggie Moore, Mr. Moore has a background of both business and educational experience. He attended Porterville elementary and high schools; received an AB degree from San Jose State college and an MA from Stanford university, applying this training, prior to the war, in the fields of teaching and

(Continued on page 10)

NO. 4 IN SERIES OF BRAND REPRODUCTIONS



SHOWN ABOVE, left to right, are brands of W. D. Phipps, Art McFarland, Will Gill & Sons, Ed. Goodyear, Lyle Crabtree, John Fees, Verne Tyler, M. H. Hamilton, Roy Driggers, Dalton Carroll and Louis Gill. The brands are reproduced as wall decoration at Leggett's Men's and Boys' shop in Porterville.

SPRINGVILLE RODEO DATE SET APRIL 18

Annual Spring Rodeo of the Springville chamber of commerce will be held April 18, it was announced this week, with the event slated for the rodeo grounds located about four miles north of Springville on the Balch Park road.

Six events will feature the show: Bareback bronc riding, saddle bronc riding, Brahma bull riding, calf roping, team roping and a special event to be announced later.

Bucking stock will be furnished by Bud Hauert, both broncs and Brahmams. Cash purse is \$250.

Corrals and chutes at the rodeo grounds have been rebuilt and a two-way road constructed. Adequate parking space has also been provided for.

Additional detailed plans for the show will be made this evening at a meeting of the Springville chamber of commerce rodeo committee. Official headquarters for the show is Al's Liquor store in Springville.

Lecture Planned For Grange Meet

An illustrated lecture on Guatemala will be given by Mrs. Bam Price at a meeting of Porterville Grange No. 718, next Wednesday evening, March 24, at the American Legion hall.

During a potluck dinner preceding the lecture, Mrs. Price will play records of Guatemalan music. The lecture will begin at 8 o'clock; visitors are welcome to attend.

DUCOR WOMEN PLAN DINNER

Members of the Ducor Women's club are planning a family style, ham dinner for the evening of Thursday, April 1, with special entertainment to be provided during the evening. Tickets are going on sale this week.

Subscribe to the Farm Tribune

THE OLD DAYS

From The Files Of The
PORTERVILLE ENTERPRISE

Courtesy of Aubrey M. Lumley
and Son Insurance

March 15, 1901

The stockholders of the Tule River Shooting and Fishing association held their annual meeting last Saturday, electing John Sinclair, president; A. G. Scultz, vice president; Wilko Mentz secretary and treasurer and Dr. W. C. Brumfield, A. M. Lumley, J. H. Williams and H. F. Brey, directors.

Among other things it was decided to ask the state fish and game commission for another supply of 100,000 trout

to further stock Tule River. It was also decided to hold the annual opening of the season at the Club House April 5, 6, 7, and 8.

Edgar Loyd and Miss Janie Burt Staige were married Wednesday, evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Saige with the Rev. J. M. Taylor officiating.

Both the young people are well known in Porterville, Mr. Loyd being assistant postmaster in the Porterville postoffice.

Saturday evening, Oscar Shiplet's team ran away on the Visalia road. He was driving along when the throatlatch of the bridle on one of the horses came undone. The horse, on tossing his head, shook the bridle off and Mr. Shiplet lost control of the team.

Mr. Shiplet was thrown out of the wagon, as the horses ran away, dislocating a finger on his right hand and receiving many bruises about the face. The horses broke away from the wagon, which was badly damaged.

Dr. J. H. Hatcher, who has lived in our midst and followed his profession as a dentist for the last 10 years, left here Wednesday for Ontario, where he will reside in the future.

J. N. Cornell is making this season with Nels Morris, a fine dark sorrel horse which he has at the old Putnam corral on Second street. His sire is Prince Royal, one of the most celebrated horses of his time. For full particulars, see Mr. Cornell.

The county surveyor was in the Poplar vicinity, recently, surveying a road at the southeast corner of the former Lewis Fine ranch and running east directly to Porterville, a road that is very much needed.

Judge Wallace of Springville has rejected the bonds filled by Constable Andy Hoover and thus the Springville township is without an officer. An effort is being made to have Mr. Hoover

make their home there.

Claude Hamilton has purchased 80 acres from O. K. Kirk on Castle Way and Keith Slaughter bought 20 acres from John Macagno west of Porterville.

Ranch Sales Are Reported

Three ranch sales in the vicinity of Porterville have been reported by Harry J. Johnson and associates.

The R. D. Perrys, formerly of Pasadena, have purchased the 30-acre Bob Shannon place in the Worth district, consisting of citrus and pasture, and will

file new bonds.

B. J. Dillon, the new preacher at Globe, is a little different in his views as to what the people are used to. He is quite a liberal talker.

L. S. Prestage finished boring a well on the Frame Bros. place at Plano last week. He bored down 157 feet and a fine flow of water is reported.

V. D. Knupp and W. M. Young left for Bisbee, Arizona, Saturday, to buy some cattle. They were accompanied by J. Crowley of Visalia and Ed. Isham.

A memorandum was this week sent to President Hays of the Southern Pacific railroad calling to his attention the importance of a main line train passing through Porterville.

**WEISENBERGER
CITRUS NURSERY
NAVELS
VALENCIAS**

Profitable Trees To Plant

LEO M. and CALVIN
WEISENBERGER
R. 1, Box 748 R. 3, Box 252
Phone 23-J-11 Phone 739-M

HUDSON

Sales and Service

AND WE DO MEAN
SERVICE

Jendresen Motors

930 North Main Phone 1176
Porterville, California

BUBBLES

by Jesse Eckles



"When I was your age, I'd stay right at my gal's home and
save plenty dough just necking!"

And when Pop was "that age", you can bet there weren't any of the work-saving appliances on the market that there are now! Nossir! House-work can really be made easier for "Mom" today, merely by the flick of a switch! See the LAST in appliances at - - -

ASPEITIA'S RESTAURANT

-:- Fine Mexican Food -:-

Open Week Days—4:00 P. M. to 10:00 P. M.
Saturdays and Sundays—2:00 P. M. to 12:00 P. M.
—Closed Tuesdays—

BANQUET ROOM FOR PARTIES

Phone 23-W-4

3 Miles North on Highway 65
PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA

COMMERCIAL TIRE SERVICE CO.

Phone 64

132 So. ELMWOOD
LINDSAY, CALIF.



Phone 1370

Cor. MAIN & ORANGE
PORTERVILLE, CALIF.

Subscribe For The Farm Tribune

**CONSIDER
NEW YORK LIFE'S
RETIREMENT
LIFE INCOME
POLICY**
Phone us or write for
Free Booklet
**ELTON AND MYRON
WILCOX**
213 Mill St. Phone 78
Porterville

DOUBLE REGISTERED



**Polled
Herefords
For Sale**

Young Bulls Young Heifers
Advance Domino Breeding
AVERY & FERGUSON
River Road Springville

**SAVE
ON
Window and Door
Frames**

With Inside
Trim

2-0	x	3-0	\$4.50	\$5.77
2-0	x	3-6	\$4.70	\$6.00
2-0	x	4-0	\$4.90	\$6.42
2-0	x	4-6	\$5.10	\$6.80
2-6	x	3-0	\$4.70	\$6.05
2-6	x	4-0	\$4.95	\$6.70
2-6	x	4-6	\$5.35	\$7.05
3-0	x	3-0	\$4.90	\$6.45
3-0	x	4-0	\$5.10	\$6.85
3-0	x	4-6	\$5.40	\$7.35

DOOR FRAMES

2-8	x	6-8	\$5.50	\$7.12
3-0	x	6-8	\$5.90	\$7.52

**MADE OF CLEAR WELL
SEASONED MATERIAL**

Yost Planning Mill
2½ Miles East of Porterville
On Springville Highway

Subscribe for The Farm Tribune Today

\$2.00 — SUBSCRIPTION — \$2.00

Please Put My Name On THE FARM TRIBUNE Mailing
List, 522 North Main Street, Porterville, California.

Name

City

State

Cutworm Control Methods Told

Cutworms that destroy the buds on grapevines may be controlled by either banding the spurs and canes with Deadlines of Tanglefoot or by DDT preparations says Fred Jensen, assistant farm advisor. No control measures should be applied until damage begins to appear since cutworms are not normally serious every year.

The main disorder with Deadline or Tanglefoot is the time it takes to apply these materials. When the need for control becomes apparent, the vineyard cannot be covered rapidly enough if more than a few acres are involved. Rapid control may be obtained by vapo dusting with 3 to 4 gallons of 2.4% DDT in kerosene per acre, 5% or 10% dusts are also effective if liberally applied with a hand duster or if a handful of dust is thrown on the crown of the vine, however a rain would reduce the effectiveness considerably.

If a spray rig is available, 1 to 2 pounds of 50% wettable DDT powder may be mixed per 100 gallons of water and sprayed on the trunks and arms using about $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon per vine. If 5 to 6 pounds of the wettable powder is used the spray is directed only on the spurs and arms and the spray rig may be moved more rapidly. One-half to 1 gallon of medium grade winter oil emulsion may be added to the wettable DDT powders to secure better adherence.

Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson has announced that he will resign his position to run for the United States senate in New Mexico, opposing Senator Hatch, incumbent.

Population in United States has reached 145,340,000 persons

Fine paper can be produced commercially from wheat straw, according to chemists of the department of agriculture.

Alfalfa Should Bring Good Return

Decreased acreage of alfalfa in California this year will mean that good management of alfalfa fields should amply reward the growers, states Ralph L. Worrell, Tulare county assistant farm advisor. Lawns should be given thorough waterings sufficient to wet the soil down to a depth of 14 to 16 inches each time. This is the depth of the root systems of most lawns. If the soil is moistened to this depth each time, a watering every 5 or 6 days should be ample on light soil and every 7 or 8 days ample on heavy soil.

IRRIGATE LAWNS, DON'T SPRINKLE

Frequent light sprinklings of lawns are wasteful of water and are not necessary except for newly planted lawns, declares Ralph L. Worrell, Tulare county assistant farm advisor. Lawns should be given thorough waterings sufficient to wet the soil down to a depth of 14 to 16 inches each time. This is the depth of the root systems of most lawns. If the soil is moistened to this depth each time, a watering every 5 or 6 days should be ample on light soil and every 7 or 8 days ample on heavy soil.

Chinese Tea Garden

Come Dine With Us

WE SERVE THE BEST
CHINESE FOOD

524 No. Main St. Phone 361
Porterville, Calif.

Subscribe for a Farm Paper ---
THE FARM TRIBUNE

Cotton Fertilizer

AVAILABLE NOW!

Fertilizers for this year's cotton crops are short, but --- we have some good ones available.

For instance, CYANAMID. It's an ideal cotton fertilizer if applied and used properly. Experience has proved its value and you get an EXTRA weed killer effect. See or call us for details.

EULERT WAREHOUSE

Phone 83-J

201 North D Street

PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA

THE RANCH HOUSE

CHICKEN and STEAK
DINNERS
OUR SPECIALTY

3/4 mile west of Highway 65
on Old Poplar Road
Phone 7-F-3, Porterville, Calif.

AT YOUR SERVICE

★ ACCOUNTING

**Alfred W. Browning
AND ASSOCIATES**

Tax Consultants, Audits
Public Accountants

306 N. Main St. Phone 1071
Porterville, California

★ GROCERY

R and H MARKET
Phone 452

Delivery 10:00 and 3:00

OPEN 7:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

Complete Line of Fresh Meats
and Vegetables

Open Sundays and Holidays

★ SADDLERY

**San Joaquin
Saddlery**

Louis E. Eslick

MADE-TO-ORDER

Hand-Carved Ladies Handbags,
Belts and Billfolds
with monogram or initial

**HAND-MADE SADDLES
RIDING EQUIPMENT
EXPERT REPAIRING**

401 Cypress Street, Porterville
Telephone 587-J

**Extension Service Work Plans Drawn
In 12 Fields Of Tulare County Activity**

Plans for work of the extension service during the coming years were drawn up by 116 farm people at a recent all day conference at Visalia, called by Wm. E. Gilfillan, Tulare county farm advisor. This was the second conference of this type, the first having been held in 1946.

Although most of the conference was devoted to study and planning of Extension work in 12 fields of agricultural endeavor, part of the time was given over to talks by Wilbur Dennis of Ducor, member of the State Agricultural Research Study committee and Roy McLain, chairman of American Farm Bureau Fruit and Vegetable department. Dennis explained how the Agricultural Research Study committee set up by the legislature of 1946, operated so as to get the right kind of research in California. McLain outlined the organization of the Tulare County Extension Service staff, now made up of 13 technical members, 2 field assistants and 7 clerical employees. He outlined what kind and amount of services the farm people should expect, and how the advisory groups could help the Extension Agent work out the best program of work.

The twelve subcommittees which drew up recommendations in each of 12 fields of rural life offered a large number of suggestions to make Extension work fit the needs of Tulare County Agriculture more closely. Among such suggestions were teaching of more efficient use of irrigation water and the testing of spray thinning for deciduous fruits; study of new types of packages, cold storage and car loading for table grapes, with

addition of one more agent for this work; additional testing of nontillage with chemical weed control and an educational campaign among citrus growers on red scale and quick decline.

In the field of vegetable production work on disease control, fertilizer tests and testing of new varieties, was emphasized by the grower committee. Field crop producers wanted a study of most efficient method of alfalfa harvest; tests of new varieties of forage crops; pre-emergence spraying tests for weed control on row crops, and request for an additional agent to expand work on field and cotton crops.

In the field of livestock, the poultry committee suggested further study on use of wire floored houses, work on diseases and parasites of poultry and turkeys, and cost of production for eggs and turkeys. The dairymen wanted information secured on how closely local tests of solids - non-fat conform to the Jacobsen tables; meetings to show dairymen classification of cows, and tests to show best methods of conserving food value of alfalfa. Beef and hogmen wanted performance testing continued; asked that cooperative feeding tests of cattle and swine be carried, and the holding of a meat and livestock grading demonstration field day.

Farm men and women representing the fields of rural youth and rural home and health, asked first of all that another agent be employed to do 4-H Club work. The chief purpose, to make possible closer personal work with club boys and girls and more work with youth in Senior 4-H and in the Young Cooperators group. In the field of nutrition and health the committee asked for an Institute giving latest information on nutrition research; work on further information on freezing food and on preparation of cheaper cuts

of meats. For the rural family the committee asked for more work on house planning and remodeling; simple clothing construction for beginners; and continued work on selection and care of home equipment.

A word of caution - most rat killing compounds are also poisonous to farm animals and pets.

For Farm Equipment Its

**RICHFIELD
PRODUCTS**

**GASOLINE DIESEL OIL
STOVE OIL LUBRICANTS**

**V. REED WELLES
DISTRIBUTOR**

Phone 983 447 S. E Street
Porterville

REGISTERED

Hereford Bulls

Yearlings Two Year Olds
SIRED BY
COLLEGE JOE TONE 69th

HORST

Hereford Ranch

3/4 Mile East Saucelito School
Route 1, Box 215, Terra Bella
Phone 46-F-12, Porterville

CITRUS GROWERS

Fill In Those Vacant Spaces
In Your Orchard With
Vigorous Re-Plants

**BUY TREES WHERE THEY
ARE GROWN**

**BALL - EMERY
Citrus Groves Co.**

Phone 50-F-12 Porterville

**Better Have That TRACTOR and
BUTANE CARBURETOR**

Put In First-Class Condition For That Spring Rush



**OLSON'S
Tractor Shop**

West Olive and Wisconsin
Phone 1098
Porterville, California

Union Stove Oil



Union Diesel

Union Oil Products

L. J. HAMILTON, Consignee

A Complete Line of Lubricants

76

Phone 22

7600

Quarter Mile South of Porterville City Limits on Highway 65

For The Ladies - - -

Hot Cross Buns Are Just Right For Easter Meals

Easter is hot cross bun time, so make up a batch of roll dough, or buy a package of hot roll mix. The package mix makes very good rolls in short order. If you make your own, use your favorite recipe, or the one given here, and add 2/3 cups of currants and 1/2 tsp. of cinnamon to the dough.

Form into flat buns; brush with egg whites or milk to make crust brown. Let rise, cut top of

bun in form of a cross with scissors. Bake 350-375 degrees about 25 minutes. While hot, brush with confectioner's frosting. Cool and add more frosting to make the cross.

HOT ROLL RECIPE

1 cup milk, scalded
2 T shortening
2 T sugar
1 tsp. salt
1 cake yeast
1/4 c luke-warm water
1 beaten egg
3 1/2 c flour

Soften yeast in warm water. Combine shortening, sugar, salt and milk. Cool until just warm.

A Bargain

See window. \$245 value for only \$169.95. An 8-piece living room ensemble consisting of an attractive chesterfield, fireside chair, coffee table, two end tables, two attractive table lamps and a Samarkand throw rug all for \$169.95 in the Furniture Department at

PRICE HARDWARE &
FURNITURE COMPANY

Free!

See window. Come in and get your full size Meyercord sample decals while they last! Adults Only—PLEASE. Do your own painting and decorating. Inexpensive unfinished furniture painted or stained to match your color scheme with beautiful decal decorations and a little work on your part.

PRICE HARDWARE &
FURNITURE COMPANY



Make Your Home The Center of Attraction

Take advantage of our home planning service. We've an Advisory Department to give you ideas and suggestions, a drafting service to help you with blue prints and a library of plan books for you to look over. Our building materials are tops in quality, varied, too. So come on in and let us know about your plans. We'll be glad to give you an estimate any time.

BREY - WRIGHT LUMBER CO.

"Make The Most Of Your Home"

Porterville

Terra Bella

Senior 4-H Plans Program

A program for the balance of the year was planned at a meeting of Senior 4-H club members of Tulare county held recently in Porterville, with Nadine Costner of Manzinella, president, in charge.

A tour of the southern part of Tulare county on April 19 was arranged; a money raising project was discussed, a skating party arranged and a Senior 4-H camp at Whitaker Forest was considered.

Those going on the tour will furnish their own transportation and bring sack lunches. They will visit the homes of seniors to look at their project in Earlimart, Prairie Center, Vandalia and Ducor. It was suggested that all girls with clothing projects bring their articles to a

Household Hints - - -

To save soap tie small pieces together tightly in a piece of flannel cloth and dip in boiling water until soft. Place in cold water until firm, remove flannel and you have a ball of soap ready for use.

To remove dry ink stains from white materials, steep the stained material in a solution of one quart of boiling water containing one tablespoon of salt.

Most fruit stains can be removed by washing in a strong solution of borax.

Grease spots may be removed from suede shoes by rubbing with a clean rag dipped in glycerine.

Add yeast. Add egg. Gradually stir in flour to form a soft dough. Beat well. Cover and let rise until double in bulk, two hours or so. Form into rolls as above. To make a richer dough, increase sugar and shortening 2 T each.

central place.

Plans for Senior Camp were discussed. It will be as soon as all high schools in the county are out in June. Seniors at this time help prepare for regular 4-H Camp which will be held in July.

There will be a night meeting for all Junior Leaders in the county soon.

Growers of late tomatoes should watch carefully for insects and control them before damage is done. Earlier varieties are usually pretty well harvested before the insect season affords much of a problem.

SAN JOAQUIN Mattress and Upholstering Co.

MODERNIZED UPHOLSTERING
AND MATTRESS REBUILDING.
ALL TYPES OF SPECIALIZED
WORK

619 East Orange Phone 1137

STERLING SILVER

Southern Charm 6 Pc. Place Setting \$22.75 tax incl.

Cornelia	\$23.00
Green Brier	\$24.99
King Edward	\$25.54
English Gadroon	\$25.62
Chantilly	\$25.37
French Renaissance	\$25.00
Geo. Rose	\$23.50
Francis 1st	\$26.00

ALL IN STOCK

FRITCH JEWELRY

PUTNAM and MAIN
Porterville, California

PERMANENTS EASTER SPECIALS

MACHINE — \$4.00 - \$5.00 - \$6.50 - \$7.50
MACHINELESS — \$6.50 - \$7.50
COLD WAVES — \$6.50 - \$8.50 - \$10.00

IDEAL BEAUTY SHOP

509 BRUCE ST.
STRATHMORE, CALIFORNIA

PHONE 564

Correct Methods Of Irrigation Save Water

Correct irrigation of permanent pastures will conserve much water and power otherwise wasted, declares Ralph L. Worrell, Tulare county assistant farm advisor.

Pasture plants are shallow rooted and any water which penetrates below two foot depth in the soil is usually wasted. Therefore, it is advisable for farmers to so plan their pasture layout and irrigation method that deep penetration may be avoided.

There are a number of aids to conserving water and power in pasture irrigation, Worrell said. Short narrow irrigation checks should be made. Two checks 400 ft. long will take

less water than one check 800 ft. long. This is especially important on light soil. For pastures already established it may be advisable to put more cross lines or ditches in to accomplish this saving.

Irrigation checks should be about half the width of alfalfa checks, or 12 to 18 ft. wide. Narrow checks force the water through faster, thereby reducing penetration of moisture into the soil. Another way of accomplishing a saving is to run the irrigation water in fewer checks at a time. The larger head of water thus concentrated in each check pushes through to the lower end in shorter time, reducing excess loss at the upper end of the check.

Long irrigation ditches waste water. This may be eliminated by revamping the irrigation layout. Weeds and rodents cause waste of much water in some pastures, and should be controlled.

Worrell urged pasture operators to scrutinize their irrigation layout and methods carefully. By doing so it may be possible to effect a substantial saving in water and power requirements, a vital necessity this year.

SOMETHING TO SELL ?
TELEPHONE 583

AT YOUR SERVICE

★ BREEDING

DELL CANNADY

CATTLE DEALING
BREEDING SERVICE
Phone 918-W P. O. Box 1262
Porterville, California

★ CONCRETE

NELSON Concrete Pipe Co.

IRRIGATION PIPE
Installed and Guaranteed
Phones: 443 and 120-J
Porterville

★ ELECTRICAL

POTERVILLE
ELECTRIC CO.
ELECTRIC WIRING, SUPPLIES
FIXTURES and APPLIANCES
Phone 122 517 Main Street

★ FLYING

VOSSLER FLYING SERVICE
Passenger — Charter
Instruction — Aircraft Rental
C.A.A. Approved School No. 7797
Bert Vossler

Porterville Municipal Airport
P. O. Box 387, Porterville, Calif.

★ FLOWERS


Wilcox
Flower Shop
Flowers For All Occasions
Phone 615-W 508 North Main
Porterville, California

Hoof and Mouth Disease Control Action Is Asked

A request that the Mexican border be closed to all traffic until such time as the hoof and mouth epidemic among Mexican cattle is brought under control was included in telegrams sent to California's senators by the local chapter of the California Young Farmers, following a recent meeting of the group.

Speaking at the meeting was Dr. Robert Dove, veterinarian, who told of various aspects of the California law requiring the vaccination for Bangs disease of all heifers between the ages of six and 11 months. Dr. Dove explained that vaccinated animals will be tattoo marked and that the state program is being carried on without charge to cattlemen and dairymen in an effort to eventually stamp out Bangs disease.

Bud Kitchel reported on the recent state convention of the California Young Farmers. About 25 members attended the meeting.

The National Grange has gone on record favoring a special tax on oleo products to "protect both consumers and the dairy industry."

Legislation to allow the establishment of marketing agreements and orders for almonds, filberts, citrus fruits and vegetables is expected to receive the attention of the California senate soon.

AT YOUR SERVICE

★ LAUNDRY

TROY LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANERS

We Pickup and Deliver Through
The Farm Area Surrounding
Porterville
Phone 420 139-141 Main St.
Porterville, California

★ PLUMBING

H. T. Lefever
PLUMBING ★ HEATING
SHEET METAL

SALES and SERVICE

Phone 868

1211 West Olive Street
Porterville, California

★ PRINTING

When You Think of Printing
C. BROOKS, THE PRINTER
Clarence L. Brooks—John H. Keck
Owners
Phone 583
522 N. Main Street, Porterville

★ MECHANICS

HAULMAN'S GARAGE

HOOD TIRES

Phone 36 519 Second Street
Porterville, California

★ RADIO REPAIR

**BOB WANTS TO
SEE YOU . . .**

BOB'S

Radio-Refrigeration
311 E. Putnam Phone 806

★ INSURANCE

Glenn R. Cline AGENCY

INSURANCE

FIRE - HAY - GRAIN
Compensation
and
Equipment Floater
Phone 829

508 W. Olive St. Porterville

100 % TURKEY FINANCING ON FEED



SEE US ABOUT OUR FEED FINANCING DEAL
FROM THE FIRST DAY TO MARKET

B-J Farm Service

ROBERT M. STEVENTON
101 WALNUT STREET

Phone 224

Ducor 4-H Club Will Hold Field Day At Farnsworth Ranch Middle Of April

Field day for the Ducor 4-H club will be held April 17 at the Freeland Farnsworth ranch on the White River Road, with club members to bring livestock and other club projects to the ranch for display and judging.

Club members will participate in practice judging and a pot-luck dinner will be served during the day. The event will take the place of the regular project tour, conducted periodically by the Ducor club and other 4-H clubs.

Recently completed by Ducor 4-H members was a community project that involved the planting of shrubs at the Ducor elementary school.

Club members also have finished considerable work on the grounds of the Ducor Women's clubhouse, planting flowers and caring for shrubbery on the

grounds.

Community project for the organization last year was the planting of shrubs at the Women's clubhouse.

Grange Hits Senate Charges

(Continued from Page 1)

the assembly, or lower house, being composed of members elected on a population basis, while the senate, or upper house, is composed of members elected on a district basis.

Also urged at the Pomona Grange meeting was the registration of all residents of the county in order that they will be able to vote. Presiding at the meeting was Ira Anthony, of Poplar, Pomona Grange master, with a pot-luck supper enjoyed by persons attending.

WINTER RESORT SUPPORT GIVEN

Support in whatever manner is possible was offered by directors of the Porterville chamber of commerce concerning plans of the Claude Rouch family of Springville in developing a winter sports area on their logging property on the north slope of Jordon peak.

Dried sweet potatoes compare favorably with corn in supplying carbohydrates and protein in livestock feed.

Price Mad Harold
Pays Less
Sells For Less
BATTERIES
12-Month written guarantee
\$6.95 exchange
GLOBE
AUTO PARTS

"Everything For The Auto"
105 Hockett Phone 1314-J
Porterville

Easter Lilies



FLOWERS
POTTED PLANTS
ALWAYS

The Widest Selection Of Gorgeous Potted Plants
And Cut Flowers Grown

FUNERAL ORDERS
PARTY ARRANGEMENTS
WEDDING DECORATIONS
CONVALESCENT BOUQUETS
CORSAGES

Green Thumb Flower Shop

ORDER BY PHONE

1270-J
Porterville, California

New Road Sign At Springville

A new community road sign, constructed of redwood, has been placed at the south entrance of Springville by the Springville chamber of commerce.

Constructed on a rock base, the sign has the words, "Welcome to Springville. Ranching, lumbering, health, recreation."

Citrus Producer Group Discussed At Terra Bella

A discussion of plans and accomplishments of the newly-formed California Citrus Producers' association was heard Tuesday evening at a meeting of growers held at Terra Bella.

Paul Moore and Victor Bow-

ker, Porterville growers and delegates to the state organization of citrus producers, spoke at the meeting. About 30 growers attended and a number of memberships in the association were taken.

Temporary work programs set up in Kings and Merced counties to feed jobless farm laborers.

Land Leveling

Land-Planing, Ripping, Rooting
Dozers, 12-yard Carry-Alls.

ILA SHAVER

CONTRACTOR

Phone 3887 9th and V Ave.
Lindsay Sirathmore

**IF
YOU LIVE
IN**

SPRINGVILLE
WOODVILLE
STRATHMORE
TERRA BELLA
PORTERVILLE
LINDSAY
POPLAR
DUCOR

YOUR DISTRIBUTOR
FOR

FORD TRACTORS

IS

BILLINGSLEY and ELLIOTT
TRACTOR SALES
in Porterville

OUR AREA BOUNDARIES ARE:

NORTH—Lindsay - Tulare Highway
South—Ducor - Earlimart Highway
EAST—Tulare County Line
WEST—The North-South Road Through Woodville



BILLINGSLEY & ELLIOTT

TRACTOR SALES

1433 North Main Street

Porterville, California



Phone 1338

FARMERS CLASSIFIED SERVICE - - -

BUY IT! SELL IT!
TRADE IT!

RATE

4c per word for one issue
8c per word, same ad for three issues.
\$1.00 minimum charge.

The Farm Tribune
522 North Main Phone 583

A Classified ad in The Farm Tribune might be read by 4,000 farm families. If you have something to sell, or if you want to buy, telephone us at 583, Porterville, or write your copy on a 1 cent post card and mail it to The Farm Tribune, 522 North Main street, Porterville. The rate is four cents per word for one issue; eight cents for the same copy in three issues. There is a minimum charge of one dollar on any ad order. Try a TRIBUNE Classified. It will get results.

★ Automobiles For Sale 85

1938 NASH COUPE
Excellent condition.
1941 PACKARD SEDAN
1947 BUICK STATION WAGON
Only 8,000 miles.
1941 PONTIAC SEDANET
1941 CHRYSLER SEDAN
1941 CHEVROLET
CLUB COUPE
Many More To Choose From
EASY TERMS

Givan and Givan
121 So. Main Phone 294-J

1941 STUDEBAKER CHAMPION 2-door sedan, heater, overdrive. Excellent buy.

L. J. HAMILTON
Nash Sales and Service
Main and Oak Street
Porterville

For Sale

1947 DODGE PICKUP, equipped for butane or gasoline.
1946 CHEVROLET PICKUP.
Like new, radio and heater.
1940 CHEVROLET PICKUP completely reconditioned, new paint.

Call Porterville 1249-J

1937 PLYMOUTH COUPE, Clean excellent condition, new tires. Porterville Body and Fender Works, Phone 274-M.

1937 PLYMOUTH SEDAN, excellent tires, good transportation. As is \$395. Bice Motors, Porterville, phone 1143.

SCRATCH PADS—80c a lb. at C. Brooks, the Printer, 522 North Main, Porterville.

★ Automobiles For Sale 85

1940 CHEVROLET SEDAN, brand new paint, excellent motor, priced right. Bice Motors, Porterville, phone 1143.

1940 PONTIAC CONVERTIBLE coupe, beautiful paint. Excellent tires and motor, upholstery like new, radio, heater and other extras. Bice Motors, Porterville, phone 1143.

1936 CHEVROLET SEDAN, good motor. \$375. Bice Motors, Porterville, phone 1143.

1934 CHEVROLET TRUCK, Flat Bed, only \$295. Joannides Motor Co., 105 South Main.

Special Bargains

1946 OLDS CLUB SEDAN
1942 CHRYS. NEW YORKER
1940 OLDS 76 FOUR DOOR
1940 OLDS 66 FOUR DOOR
1939 FORD DLX FOUR DOOR
1941 G.M.C. 1-ton PICKUP
1940 PONTIAC DLX 4 DOOR
TRANSPORTATION CARS
1934 CHEV. 2-DOOR
1936 DODGE 4-DOOR

Sheela Sales and Service
616 N. Main Phone 118
Porterville

1948 BRAND NEW Studebaker trucks, 1½ ton. Short or long wheel base. As low as \$1850. Joannides Motor Co., 105 So. Main, Porterville. m12tf

1940
PLYMOUTH PICKUP
GOOD CONDITION

Dodge & Plymouth Garage
Phone 73

FOR SALE — Good used cars. Jendresen Motors, phone 1176, 930 North Main, Porterville. f13-tf

FOR SALE — '39 Dodge panel; '40 Special Buick, excellent condition; 22-foot Brumpton house trailer. West Strathmore on I avenue between Strathmore highway and 9th avenue. Alva Barbarick. m5-3p

FOR SALE 1931 Buick converted Pick-up. In good condition. Phone Terra Bella 37-F-13 m12-3p

1939 FORD PICKUP For Sale. Low mileage. 101 Main street, Shell Station, Porterville. m12-3

★ Automobiles For Sale 85

1942 OLDSMOBILE 4-door sedan, clean, excellent tires, heater, radio. Phone 1431, Boyd Eckard.

FOR SALE—1940 2-door Plymouth Sedan, radio, heater, excellent condition. Phone 1275-J or 806 Putnam. m12-3

FOR SALE—"22" Caterpillar, with or without equipment. R. H. Slaughter, second house on Sunset, south of West Olive. m12-3

GOOD USED CARS. Used cars bought and sold. Givan and Givan 121 South Main. Porterville. Phone 294-J A22-tf.

1937 G.M.C. TRUCK Flat bed, good tires, a useful farm equipment. Special \$295. Joannides Motor Co., 105 So. Main.

NEW FORD TRACTORS
Early Delivery

BILLINGSLEY and ELLIOTT
Tractor Sales
1433 N. Main Phone 1338

Quality
Used Cars
AT
Reasonable Prices

46 Plymouth Special Deluxe 4-door sedan.

41 DeSoto Custom 4-door sedan.

41 Studebaker Champion 2-door sedan.

32 Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

31 Chevrolet Coupe.

Dick's Automotive Service

632 South Main Phone 1184-J
CHRYSLER—PLYMOUTH
SALES SERVICE

★ Motorcycles and Bicycles 84

NEW POWELL MOTOR SCOOTERS—Many used Scooters. Repairs. Full line of parts for all makes of Scooters and bicycles. Billiou's Repair-All and Cyclery, 105 E. Putnam. Phone 1269-J. m19-4

★ Saddlery 78

SADDLE AND LUGGAGE REPAIRING. New saddles and riding equipment. Orange Saddle Shop, 611 E. Orange. m19-tf

★ Miscellaneous Business 33

Every Day
Bargains

SEWING MACHINE
PAINT SPRAY
WASHING MACHINES
MATRESSES
SINKS and BATH TUBS
MANY OTHER ITEMS

Opposite
High School
on
WEST OLIVE STREET
PortervilleHighest Prices Paid
FOR SCRAP IRON AND METAL
SEE US BEFORE YOU SELL
Joe Sockol and Son
221 South Main

18x30 SINK WITH Strainer
\$10.95.

WEST OLIVE SUPPLY
1519 West Olive

UP TO \$5.00

For Good Used Tires, On The Purchase of a New Tire
GUARANTEED RECAPPING

\$5.95

O. K. RUBBER WELDING
300 So. Main Phone 1328-W

FOR SALE—Duplicate number tickets, 30c per 100 or \$3.00 per roll of 2000 tickets. C. Brooks, the Printer, 522 North Main, Porterville. f20tf

AUTOMOBILE UPHOLSTERING
—Aluminum Awnings, canvas work of all kinds. A B C Top and Awning Works, 1348 W. Olive, Phone 366. m12-4

★ Miscellaneous For Sale 75

FOR SALE — Bargain priced, \$400. 16-ft. factory built, deep freeze stainless cabinet; adjustable controls; remote compressor unit; 110-220 volts. Cost \$650 less than two years ago. 825 East Oak, Porterville. m19-3

SPECIAL

20 Cubic Foot Upright Freezer
1000 lb. capacity. All Stainless Steel Inside and Out—\$495

DEPENDABLE

REFRIGERATION

1101 W. Olive Phone 754-R
Porterville m19-4

WHY GAMBLE on your Refrigeration Service when you can depend on Dependable Refrigeration Sales and Service? 1101 West Olive. m19tf

NO CHARGE if we do not repair your refrigerator. All work guaranteed. Sierra Refrigeration, phone 155-W.

FARMERS CLASSIFIED SERVICE - - -

★ Real Estate	53
BARGAIN	
2 Bedroom Home	
Near High School	
Immediate Possession	\$4750
Basye Realty	
220 E. Putnam	Phone 48

Wanted

160 ACRE FARM, equipped preferred, Priced up to \$65,000

WRITE OR PHONE

Strout Realty

Porterville Phone 202-J
m12-2

80 ACRES, 20 alfalfa, balance level, 2 good wells. One 7 room modern house, one 5 room house, \$52,500.

40 ACRES LEVEL land, 10 alfalfa, good well small house, \$18,000.

HARRY J. JOHNSON
and Associates
306 N. Main Phone 752
Porterville

A REAL BUY IN INCOME PROPERTY JUST OFF MAIN STREET

20 ACRES, 5-ROOM HOUSE BARN, CHICKEN EQUIPMENT
Now in Alfalfa
\$14,000, terms

160 ACRES ALL IN ALFALFA
Sandy Loam, Good Well
Good Location, terms

RANCHES HOMES GROVES
LISTINGS APPRECIATED

ROY A. HILL, Realtor
Phones: bus. 1185; res. 1205-W
215 E. Putnam Porterville

Sweet Shop In Poplar

NETS \$100 WEEK
2-year Lease with 2-year Option
at \$35 Month Rent
PRICE \$4,000
Plus Inventory
Living Quarters Extra

MODERN 2 BEDROOM HOME
303 Danner

W. R. Spellman
Real Estate
512 D Street Phone 303-J

★ Real Estate

53

FOR SALE

ACRE LOTS—With water. \$200 down.

22 ACRES — Improved. Large house, barn, 7 1/2 h.p. turbine. Located edge of town. \$12,500.
5 ACRES—\$1,500, \$200 down.

320 ACRES—\$100 per acre.
LISTINGS WANTED On farms and groves.

J. D. FROST, Realtor
Doc Masterson, Salesman
309 E. Putnam Phone 1167
m12-2p

FOR SALE — Frame 3-room house to be moved. One-half mile west of Poplar. Route 2, Box 557, Porterville, Calif.
m12t2p

**BARGAINS in
REAL ESTATE
BUY NOW**

ALMOST NEW 2 bedroom house all rooms large, value of furniture \$3,000 included in total price of \$8,900.

DON'T FORGET we have trades, all kinds, all sizes, all prices.

20 ACRES, 2 bedroom house, and 3 room house, all level, \$14,000.

HOSFELDT and Associates
207 Mill St. Phone 25-J-12
Porterville, California

★ Furniture For Sale 70

Bargains !

Specials !

\$25.00 Trade-in

ON YOUR OLD CHESTERFIELD
SET ON A NEW SET

FREE—10 RECORDS—FREE
on Any Radio Combination

TWO VANITY LAMPS

FREE

With Any Bedroom Suite

\$11.95 FLOOR LAMP

FREE

With Any Divan Set

Wheeler Furniture Co.

119 North Main Street
Porterville, Calif.

★ Washing Machine Repair 72

WASHING MACHINE REPAIRS.
24 hour immediate service.
Phone 549-J, 123 South Main.
Schortman's Repair Shop.

m12tf

★ Landscaping & Gardening 22

CAMELLIAS—Heavily budded, blooming. Gal. and 5 gal. sizes. All the favorites: Purity, Pink, Perfection, Pope Pius IX, Debutante. Green Thumb Nursery, 1026 North Main, Porterville, phone 1270-J. m19-1

One third of the state's grain crop will be lost as the result of the drought, according to the California Crop and Livestock service.

Farm Tribune Ads Get Results

IMPROVEMENT ON OLIVE STREET

Surveys for the improvement of one mile on Olive street east of the Tule river bridge have been ordered by County Road Commissioner Art Snell, it was reported today. Some \$20,000 in federal aid highway money is available to the first supervisorial district for the work.

Protein loss is cut in half, according to scientists, when alfalfa hay is stored in silos.

Grading a field removes topsoil which contains plant food. This food must be replaced through manure or commercial fertilizers.

Good irrigation means applying the right amount of water—neither too much nor too little.

-- LISTEN TO --

K TIP

7:15 to 7:30 A. M.

WANT TO SELL ?

TRY

The Farm Tribune
Farmer's
Classified Section

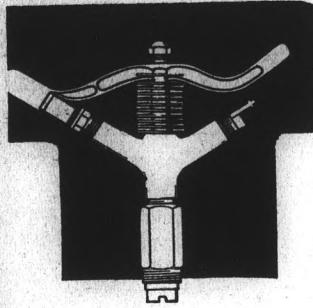
WANT TO BUY ?

READ

The Farm Tribune

Farmer's
Classified Section

RAINMAKER



PORTABLE SPRINKLER SYSTEMS

RAINBIRD or BUCKNER

SPRINKLERS

For Permanent Pastures

Steel or Aluminum PORTABLE PIPE

Sprinkler Systems Save Water and Save Power - - - Let Our Experienced Engineers Plan The Most Efficient Way To Handle Your Problem - - - Estimate Free.

PERMANENT PASTURE SEED—MIXED ESPECIALLY TO SUIT LOCAL CONDITIONS

DAYBELL NURSERY

133 NORTH E STREET

PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA

Just South of the New E Street Bridge

Rodgers L. Moore For Supervisor

Continued from Page 1)
school administration.

He served for six years in the office of the Tulare county superintendent of schools, working under two administrations, and taught at San Rafael and Visalia college. Following the war, he returned to Porterville to engage to the contract trucking business.

In 1937, Mr. Moore married the former Muriel Carlson of Dinuba. They have two children, Lee Ellen, who is a student in the Porterville Elementary school system, and Carol Ann, nine months of age.

Mr. Moore is at present a member of the board of trustees of Porterville Union High school and Junior College district; a member of the board of directors of the Porterville chamber of commerce and a past commander of Porterville Post No. 20, American Legion.

During the war, he served in the United States navy, rising to the rank of lieutenant commander. In the service for nearly four years, he saw active duty in the Pacific-Asiatic theatre.

In announcing his candidacy for the first district supervisorial post, Mr. Moore stated, "If elected, I will work for the inter-

SPRINGVILLE HOMECOMING SET

Sunday, April 25, has been set as the date of the annual Springville Homecoming, with the event to feature a barbecue dinner and program.

Old timers of the area will gather on the east side of the Tule river in the camp ground opposite the soda spring. The event is being sponsored by the Springville chamber of commerce.

Subscribe for a Farm Paper - - -
Published By Farmers
THE FARM TRIBUNE

est of the people of my district and my county.

"I will conscientiously seek to bring about harmonious co-operation between the Tulare county board of supervisors and other governmental agencies of the county and of the state of California.

"I will, at all times, think in terms of sensible economy in county government, and my actions will be governed by such thinking."

The first supervisorial district of Tulare county, in which Mr. Moore seeks election, embraces the community areas of Lindsay, Strathmore, Springville, Doyle Colony and Porterville.

KENTILE

Asphalt Tile

The Correct Covering

TO LAY OVER
CONCRETE FLOORS

Costs Little—Wears Longest—Resilient Comfort
Permanent Colors

ALSO

INLAID LINOLEUM

AT

FARMERS EXCHANGE

116 NORTH MAIN STREET PORTERVILLE, CALIF.

We Carry Our Own Easy-Payment Accounts

FOR RENT—FLOOR SANDERS, FLOOR POLISHERS,
VACUUM CLEANERS, HOSPITAL BEDS

A congressional move to assure use of surplus California agricultural products in the European recovery plan has been launched by Senators Sheridan Downey and William Knowland.

Subscribe for a Farm Paper - - -

AT YOUR SERVICE

★ SHOE SHOP

BISHOP'S SHOE RE-NU-ALL PROMPT SERVICE QUALITY SHOE REPAIRING

418 North Main Street
Porterville, California

★ SERVICE STATION

DUNCAN'S MOBIL SERVICE

LEE DUNCAN, Proprietor
Batteries, Recharging
Tires Tubes
Accessories
Lubrication Specialists
Brake Relining and
Adjusting



"Bumper To Bumper Service"

802 N. Main Phone 518
Next to Elks Club, Porterville, Cal.

★ SEPTIC TANKS

PORTERVILLE SEPTIC TANK SERVICE

Pumping - Repairing - Installing
Phone 88-J

406 GARDEN STREET
Porterville, California

★ STATIONERY

Gibson Stationery Store

OFFICE SUPPLIES

Post Binders and Ledgers
Box Files
405 North Main St. Phone 208

★ TRUCKING

Where Your Patronage
Is Appreciated

Moore's Transfer

GENERAL HAULING
Rodgers L. Moore
P. O. Box 823 Phone 1224-W
Porterville, California

SUBSCRIBE TO

The Farm Tribune

\$2.00 Per Year

522 North Main Porterville
Farm Tribune Ads Get Results!

John Emo Is Speaker At Vandalia Meeting

A talk on the true meaning of 4-H club work was given by John Emo, assistant Tulare county farm advisor in charge of 4-H activity, at a meeting of the Vandalia 4-H club held the evening of March 11 at the Walter Smith home, with Mrs. Smith and Mr. Russell Scranton as co-hostesses.

In addition, Beverly Aston and Mary Lee Hicks gave an informative demonstration on the stars and constellations, new members were introduced and reports were given by members on what each had done during "Be Kind To Parents" week.

The club voted to sell orange juice at the Tulare County 4-H Achievement day, May 22 at the Tulare fair grounds, with Twyla Wilson named as chairman of the committee in charge. Proceeds raised by this activity will be used to assist in the financing of trips to the 4-H summer camp.

Self improvement was discussed during the evening and a community project was discussed. Mairlyn Wilson and Nancy Scranton were named to prepare a demonstration for the April meeting. Twyla Wilson was in charge of games that concluded the evening and Mesdames Smith and Scranton served refreshments.

Parents present at the meeting included: Messers and Mesdames Bingham, Joseph Faure, Knox Wilson; Milton France, Mesdames Hicks, Homer, Bodley, R. G. Wells, Roger Wells, Townsend, McLachlan and Scranton and club leaders, Victor Bowker, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wilson and Mrs. Smith.

Extra amounts of vitamin A are needed by calves when they have digestive disturbances.

Broad Breasted

BRONZE TURKEYS

Eight California U. S. ROP Candidate Pen Matings, Four Spec. Flock Matings. Eggs or Poult from Special Flock Matings. No Commercial Eggs or Poult Available. California U. S. Pullorum Clean.

BOWKERS'

TULE RIVER RANCH

Phone 31-W-1
Porterville, Calif.

Gladys Cooper Has Champion Hereford Bull

Gladys Cooper, of Tipton, showed the champion bull, FAC Cooper Tone, at the California Hereford Association Spring sale in Sacramento last week.

The animal was sold by Mrs. Cooper to Leroy Grienger, of Chiloquin, Oregon, for \$2,000.

WATER RIGHT PAYMENTS GO TO RANCHERS

Compensation for value of water rights taken from them by the Central Valleys Project authority has been granted to five Merced county ranchers by the United States Court of Claims. Amounts range from \$234 to \$54,333.26.

The United States department of agriculture has purchased for the national school lunch program, solely on a basis of nutritive value and without regard to price support: dried milk, 21,600 cases; canned tomatoes, 27,428 cases; canned tomato juice, 17,200 cases and concentrated orange juice, 3,500 cases.

ROUTINE BUSINESS AT BOARD MEETING

Only routine matters were discussed at a regular meeting of the Sierra View District hospital board held Monday evening at the city hall in Porterville. No word has been received from the district application requested federal and state monetary assistance in constructing a community hospital.

Farm Tribune Ads Get Results



★ LUBRICATION
★ CAR WASHING
★ TIRE REPAIRING

See

JACK ROBERTS SHELL SERVICE

Corner Main and Olive Streets

THE WEATHERMAN SAYS MORE RAIN AND THAT MEANS Slippery Highways

Leading us to recommend
OUR SPECIAL DEAL ON

TIRES



For Your Car

600 x 16 — \$11.44
650 x 16 — \$13.88

For Your Truck

750 x 20 — \$51.60
850 x 20 — \$53.20

Tax Extra

OTHER TIRES LISTED ACCORDINGLY AT
SACRIFICE CLEARANCE PRICES



Phones:
Day 1430, Night 16-W-12

616 North Main St.
Porterville, Calif.

Official Emergency Service Station Automobile Club
of Southern California

Cover Ground Surface In Furrow Irrigation

Where furrow irrigation is used the water should be applied in such a manner as to cover as much of the ground surface as it is possible, reports Walter

YOU CAN ALWAYS FIND
FRESH FISH
AVAILABLE DAILY - - - ALL VARIETIES PLUS OYSTERS, SHRIMP AND CRABS AT - - -
Marino's
217 W. Olive Phone 1238-W
Porterville, Calif.

J. Cordue, Tulare county assistant farm advisor. Broad shallow furrows are better than narrow deep furrows. If the soil is well drained, most of the water applied will move vertically downward.

Subbing laterally between furrows will only occur, to any large extent, where there is an impervious layer in the subsoil. The depth to which water has penetrated during an irrigation can be determined with the use of a soil probe.

The depth that an inch of water will wet the soil will depend upon the dryness of the soil at the time of the irrigation and the field capacity of the soil. By constructing small basins into which a farmer applies definite depth of water, he can determine the amount of water required to wet his soil to the depth of the

Noted Artist Will Be Timer At Local Roundup

The noted western artist, Till Gooden, of Hollywood, has accepted an invitation to serve as a timer in the first Porterville Roundup to be staged by the Orange Belt Saddle Club at the new Rocky Hill arena east of Porterville on May 8 and 9.

Arrangements were completed this week in communications with Harry Britton, head of the

root zone.

If we know how many inches of water are needed to wet the soil to a given depth we can multiply the area of the field by this number of inches and obtain the total acre-inches of water needed to irrigate the field. Accordingly, if we know the rate at which water is being delivered to the field we can determine the number of hours that will be required to irrigate the field.

By coincidence, one cubic foot of water per second is equal to one acre-inch per hour. By converting the rate of our water supply, whether it is in gallons per minute or miner's inches, into cubic feet per second we obtain the number of acre-inches of water that is being applied each hour. By dividing the total requirement in acre-inches by our rate of supply in acre-inches per hour, we obtain the number of hours required to irrigate the field.

Many growers will be called upon this year to figure their water needs for irrigation of crops throughout the growing season, in an effort that power companies and irrigation districts may distribute power and water efficiently throughout the agricultural areas of the county. If the above paragraph is not helpful in assisting farmers to figure their water needs for the season, additional information and assistance may be received from the Agricultural Extension Service, Farm Advisor's office, Post Office Building, in Visalia.

saddle club publicity committee.

Work at the arena is now nearing completion. Construction of the rodeo ground and an adjoining roadster race track is being done by Loren Bartlett.

Farmers who plan to plant summer-growing crops, especially of the drought resistance type, should obtain their seed supply early, since a seed shortage is a possibility.

Painting and Decorating Paperhanging

Now is the time to get ready for the outdoor months — to clean up — to paint up — and to dress up your home.

It is surprising what a little color in the form of paint can do to transform — to beautify — yes, even glorify a home.

Ask us for suggestions and an estimate — no obligation, of course.

J. W. Ingram

1450 Citrus Street
Porterville, California
Phone 90-M

DAIRY FEEDS

MILK-O-BRAND \$4.00 cwt.

ALBERS MILK-FLO

20% PROTEIN	\$5.23
16% PROTEIN	\$5.18
MILKING — 15%	\$4.88
ORANGE PULP	\$3.85
BEET PULP	\$4.35

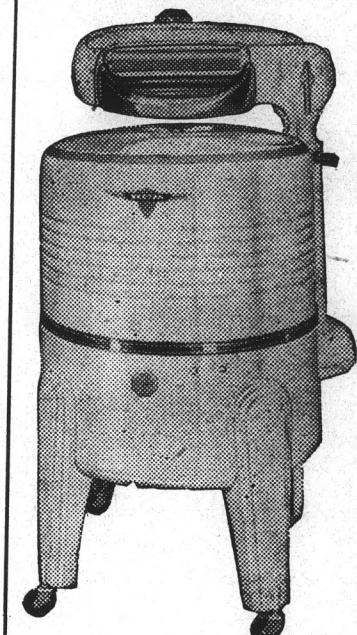
Porterville Feed & Seed

"THE DRIVE-IN FEED STORE"

310 GARDEN STREET

Phone 41

Barton



- ★ World Famous Lovell Wringer
- ★ Precision Cut Gears
- ★ Sealed-in-oil Mechanism
- ★ Powerful 1/4 H.P. Motor
- ★ Full Size Porcelain Tub
- ★ Complete Guarantee
- ★ Exceptional Value

PORTERVILLE HARDWARE CO.

"The Hardware People"
Phone 79 232 N. Main
Porterville, Calif.

**We Now Have a Complete Stock
OF
LUMBER
INCLUDING
FLOORING — SIDING
SHINGLES — WALLBOARD
PORTERVILLE LUMBER & MATERIALS**

"Everything For Building"
1225 North Main Earl Hodgson, mgr.
Phone 686

The Farm Tribune

Published 522 North Main Street Porterville, California
BILL RODGERS, Editor

Subscription rate \$2.00 per year

RODGERS L. MOORE HAS OUR SUPPORT FOR FIRST DISTRICT SUPERVISOR

Without equivocation, The Farm Tribune offers its support to Rodgers L. Moore in his race for supervisor from Tulare county's first district.

We choose to back Mr. Moore because we believe that he has the qualifications desirable to a man seeking public office.

He has a sound academic education—started in the schools of Porterville and culminated at San Jose's State college and Stanford university.

He has proved himself to be an effective civic leader in his present membership on the boards of the Porterville Union High School and Junior College district and the Porterville Chamber of Commerce and in his past work as commander of the Porterville American Legion Post.

He has an excellent background knowledge of affairs of Tulare county, gained during the six years that he worked under two county superintendents of schools.

He has the personal ability to think clearly and to express himself logically.

All-in-all, he is the calibre of man that we want to see in public office. We're going to pitch in and help put him there.

Commendable action was taken by the Tulare County Poma Grange at its Porterville meeting last week when members went on record as opposing reapportionment of the California

state senate on a basis of population. If this measure is voted into the state constitution, it means that the big city areas of the state will gain almost complete control of the state legislature at the expense of the rural areas.

Walnut Pruning Underway Now

Walnut growers who are planning to prune walnut trees this year should have the job underway now, says A. D. Rizzi, Tulare county assistant farm advisor. There may be a lot of bleeding from limb cuts made following cold nights. While this may cause concern, there has not been any injury reported from this type of bleeding.

It is fast approaching the proper time to graft walnut trees. Grafting wood of the early starting varieties like Paynes should already have been collected and

APRIL 22 DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION

April 22 is the deadline for registration to vote in the June 1st primary election.

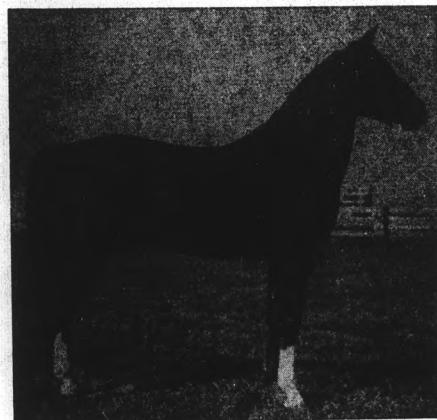
Subscribe For The Farm Tribune
Published By Farmers

stored. Otherwise, it has to be used now. Grafting wood of later starting varieties like Franquettes and Mayetts may still be collected and stored until nearer the time when the black walnut rootstocks are ready to start growth.

TULARE DAIRY INDUSTRY VALUED AT \$19,040,000

Dairy industry in Tulare county has an investment in cows and equipment amounting to \$19,040,000, according to R. J. Werner, manager of the California Dairy Advisory board. Dairy investments in the San Joaquin valley amounts to \$144,760,000.

REGISTERED ARABIAN STALLIONS STANDING AT STUD



BRUKHAL A H C 1651

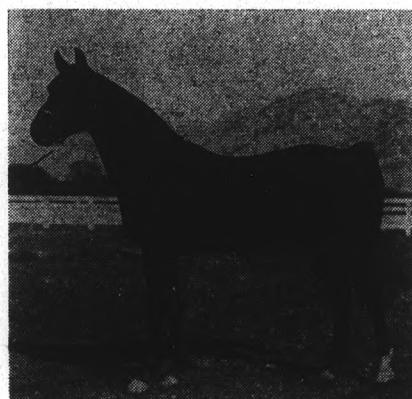
Light Chesnut, producer of fine palominos from palomino mares.

Also have grey stallion, fine bone type, good for large mares.

JONES
Arabian Ranch

903 East Morton
PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA

TERMS: \$75.00 Registered Mares, \$25.00 Grade Mares. Cash at time of service, return privilege.



BARKA A H C 3128

Fine three-year-old stallion, stock horse built. Mahogany chesnut.

Will take only a limited number of mares this season.

JDT RANCH
J. D. TRIMMELL, Owner
SPRINGVILLE, CALIFORNIA
(Ranch 15 miles east of Porterville
on Hwy. 190.)

*Loyd-Brittell
Chapel*

Phone 631-W Porterville

Service Within the Means
of All

Deputy Coroners

Harry J. Johnson
REALTOR and ASSOCIATES
Orange Groves, Farm Lands,
City Property
INSURANCE
ESCROWS
306 North Main Street
Porterville, California
Phone 752

**CAMERAS
PROJECTORS
PHOTO SUPPLIES**

at
1018 SUNNYSIDE AVENUE
Phone 600

Hammond
"The Photographer In
Your Town"
PORTERVILLE, CALIF.
Convenient Parking

Citrus Pest Control Meetings Slated For Vandalia, Terra Bella, Strathmore

Annual series of citrus pest control meetings, sponsored by the Agricultural Extension service are slated for the week of March 22 in Tulare county, according to Clem Meith, assistant county farm advisor, with sessions arranged for Strathmore, Vandalia and Terra Bella districts in the southeastern Tulare county area.

Announced schedule of meeting is: Strathmore, March 24, 9:30 a.m., Strathmore Cooperative Citrus association; Vandalia, March 24, 2 p.m., Vandalia grammar school and Terra

Bella, March 26, 9:30 a.m., Terra Bella grammar school, south barrack building.

Subjects to be discussed include: "Report on the General Condition of Scale Insect Infestations" by Herman French, Tulare county agricultural commissioner; "Report on Research Work in Tulare County on the Control of Citricola Scale and Thrips" by Dr. William Ewart, division of entomology, Citrus Experiment station; "Outline of Available Pest Control" by H. C. Meith, Agricultural Extension Service and "Discussion and Questions" by Harold Lewis, entomologist, California Fruit Growers Exchange.

TODD'S STATIONERY
School Supplies, Bibles, Signs
Greeting Cards
HOBBY SUPPLIES
TOYS
522 North Main Phone 583
Porterville

Jones Arabians Shown In Parade At San Francisco

Three purebred Arabian horses from Don Jones' Arabian ranch in Porterville were ridden in the three-mile-long St. Patrick's day parade held Saturday in San Francisco.

Captain Joe Hertzler, who headed the horse section of the parade, rode one of the animals and Nan McHenry of Porterville and Mr. Jones, the others.

Twelve pure-bred Arabians led the parade, which included 600 head in the horse section.

California wool production has dropped sharply during past year.

Tomato Disease Information Given

Extreme cold weather during planting time and the continued cold weather during the weeks following transplanting of tomato plants in the field has in many cases caused a general stunted condition associated with purple discoloration of the leaf veins, leaf stems, and in some cases the entire stem of the plant.

Walter J. Cordua, Tulare county assistant farm advisor, says that where tomato plants have been planted in heavy soils and irrigated too heavily the symptoms of discoloration are amplified causing, in extreme cases, a bronze discoloration of affected parts, and a downward growth of the lower leaf stems of petioles.

It has been suggested by tomato investigators that the trouble is primarily of a nutritional disorder. Poor growing weather prevents proper root growth and root development in the soil, resulting in a direct decrease of nutrients available to the plant for normal growth.

Irrigation of tomato fields at this time should be done with great caution to prevent further nutritional deficiencies in poorly developed root systems of young tomato plants. If it is at all possible, it is advised, to delay the application of water, especially for the balance of the cold period, remaining this month. Observations in past years have shown that as soon as the weather begins to warm

up the affected plants turn green and healthy, and although the first picking may be delayed, such plants usually produce normal yields.

Quality of permanent pasture is related to quality of the surrounding fence - livestock must be kept where they belong for efficient rotation of grazing areas.

CASON and WAUGH BARBER SHOP UNION SHOP

First Class Work
L. P. Cason, Prop
512 N. Main, Porterville, Calif.

Reuben C. Gilliam

Real Estate Broker
A Nice Selection of Farms,
Homes and Groves
414 East Mill Phone 127
Porterville

BUTANE

Jack Griggs, Inc.

SALES AND SERVICE
COMPLETE INSTALLATIONS
OF ALL APPLIANCES

1030 East Date St. Phone 99-J
Porterville, California

PAINTS 20% OFF

★ 1st Grade Exterior
★ High-Gloss Enamel
★ Roof
Also WALLPAPER

Kirby Paint Shop

102 Cottage Phone 199-W
Porterville, Calif.



**FARMERS AUTOMOBILE
INTER. INSURANCE EXCHANGE**

Truck Insurance Exchange

L. C. DALEY

212 East Putnam Phone 220
Porterville, Calif.

AUTOMOBILES 1947 - 1948 MODELS

JUST OFF THE SHOW ROOM FLOOR

No Trade - In Required — New Car Guarantee

See ART MORGAN

1302 NORTH MAIN STREET PORTERVILLE, CALIF. Phone 1249-J

Across from Porterville Lumber and Materials Co.

Chemicals Used On Cottonseed

These days cottonseed mills are fast shifting from the purely mechanical squeezing of oil from cottonseed. Wm. E. Gilfillan, Tulare county farm advisor, says they are taking to new radically-different chemical methods that yield purer cottonseed products.

If cotton farmers are to get the most benefit from the new ways of breaking cottonseed up into oil, meal, and color glands, the scientist will have to find ways to use the new cottonseed by-products. That's just what research chemists plan to do.

Under the old method, the colors, located in special glands



The Name WILLIAMS On Your Gift Package Is A Guarantee Of QUALITY Your Friends Will Appreciate.

DIAMONDS - WATCHES
REPAIRING
Telephone 949
316 N. Main Porterville



By BILL WHITE JR.

Years ago mom and pop would bend over the cradle, look down at Junior and say: "Some day he's going to grow up to be President!" But things have changed - - - Now they say: "Some day he's going to be a baseball pitcher!" And who can blame them after reading



about the reported \$ 85,000 Bob Feller will be getting this season from the Cleveland Indians. That's more than the president makes and for shorter hours, too. Ask any kid in the block what he'd rather be - - - the answer will be: "pitcher." Perhaps in years to come we'll be able to strike a

E. I. Barnes On Prorate Board

E. I. Barnes, Porterville citrus grower, has been named a member of the California Agricultural Prorate Advisory committee, the appointment being made by Governor Earl Warren.

The board will act in an advisory capacity concerning state prorates of all agricultural products. The appointment was for a period ending January 1, 1952.

Fourth Annual Convention of Kern County Potato Growers association held during the week in Bakersfield.

within the seed, were crushed into the oil. With the new method, the whole color glands are separated from the oil and meal. The scientist aim to find wider use for those glands. They will investigate the food value of these and other by-products, as well as for the purer oil made by the new process, also practical ways of using the protein fiber from the purified meal.

Their investigations will include finding out the effect, environment and variety of cotton has on the make-up of cottonseed. Eventually, their findings may be reflected back to the farm with some farmers growing cotton to meet special needs of the cottonseed industry.

Bill Would Free Districts From Back Taxes

A bill that would free irrigation districts from the payment of back taxes on property outside the district has been introduced by State Senator Howard J. Williams of Porterville.

The bill provides for separation of irrigation districts from improvement districts within their boundaries, making it possible for irrigation districts to contract for Central Valley Project water from adjoining Improvement districts.

Hugh H. Bennett, chief of the United States Soil Conservation service, will be in the San Joaquin valley, March 22-23.

Kings county 4-H Achievement day, held Saturday in Hanford, brought 350 livestock entries and 300 sewing project exhibits.

WATCH REPAIR

3 - Day Service

Fritch Jewelry

429 N. Main Porterville

We Need Poultry

Will Pick Up Large or

Small Flocks

PAY TOP PRICES

Renna Poultry Co.

351 West Walnut
Phone 27

For Money Saving Irrigation

T I T E L O C K S Y P H O N

THE TITELOCK SYPHON TUBE HAS THESE ADVANTAGES

GATE VALVES THAT ARE EASILY ADJUSTED

STURDY CONSTRUCTION THAT RESIST FLATTENING

SIMPLE TO START AND LIGHT TO HANDLE

The Titelock Syphon Tube Is The Scientific Answer To Row and Field Crop Irrigation out of dirt ditches.

Price Per Tube

\$1.65 with gates

\$1.45 without gates

Marks Tractor & Truck Co.

201 South Main

Telephone 108

Porterville, California

OCCUPANT

POSTMASTER: If addressee has removed or if undeliverable for any cause, please notify sender on Form 3547.

Storm Brings Hope Power Still Short

(Continued from Page 1)
curtailed for a time.

Official rain figures from the Frank Daybell station in Porterville show something over 1.04 inches as of Thursday morning. Season total amounts to 3.73 inches for the year as compared to 6.44 inches on corresponding dates last year.

Although continued rain and snow will no doubt influence the situation of a power shortage, there has been no official word that the storm of the past week has been sufficient to change the overall state picture of curtailed power use, brought on by the lack of moisture, during the present winter season, in the mountain areas.

Of importance to local farmers was an order received during the week by the Southern California Edison company from the California Public Utilities commission stopping the connection of new or increased power loads until further notice.

The announced purpose of this order, which means that no new pumps can be supplied with power, is to obtain time for surveys to determine essential needs.

Further development of importance to farmers was the announcement of a 20 per cent cut

Strong Farm Products Market Is Predicted

BY O. C. STINE

Assistant Chief Bureau of Agricultural Economics

The market for farm products will stay strong for another year. Farmers' prices and gross incomes in 1948 probably will average near those of 1947. Net incomes, however, may decline because of rising costs of production.

Domestic demand for farm products will continue strong. Also our exports probably will again be large.

Despite strong demand, farmers will market a smaller total volume of products than in 1947. Much of the decline will be in livestock and products.

Prices received by farmers seem likely to stay near current levels for a few months. Later in the year, prices will depend considerably on the outcome of

in power used in California, with this reduction including pumping plants operated during any peak period and a 15 per cent cut in plants used at other times.

Public Utilities Commission Engineer Robert P. O'Brien has stated however, that pumping plants used to supplement natural gravity water may use more power than last year, but only enough for minimum needs to preserve the life of permanent plantings such as vineyards and orchards.

Meanwhile, Governor Earl Warren has asked for a complete airing of all the facts involved in the controversy between the United States Bureau of Reclamation and the Pacific Gas and Electric company concerning transportation of Shasta dam power.

LISTEN FRIDAY NIGHT

N.B.C. 7:45 P. M. P.S.T.
GAEL SULLIVAN

Executive Director
National Democratic Committee
Subject:
"The Foxhole Vote Wants
Action"
Porterville
Democratic Committee
Lester Lamkin, chairman

crops both in the United States and abroad. If they are larger than in 1947, prices may decline somewhat.

Exports will be important. In general, export demand for bread grains, fats and oils, meats, and some dairy products can be expected to stay strong. Demand may fall off for tobacco, and some of the high-cost foods.

By perhaps 1950, crop production in some of the European countries may come back to about prewar level. In good crop seasons, this would reduce foreign demand for some of our pro-

ducts and bring some decline in prices.

In general, over-all farm production probably could be maintained near present levels for many years to come without the average of prices declining more than half as much as in 1920-21.

Farm Tribune Ads Get Results**Inglet's Welding**

Special! Carryalls - - - \$350
BUILDING and REPAIRING
of Farm Machinery
Little Grand Phone '11-F-12

Easy Spindrier Washers**No Wringer**

Washes and Dries at Same Time

Safe and Fast

Economical on Hot Water

\$179.95 and \$189.95

JONES HARDWARE CO.

PORTEVILLE, CALIFORNIA

LISTEN!!

**Things Are Growing
Seeds Are Waking Up
Trees Are Taking Off
For a Season Of Work
Supplying Us With
FOOD — SHADE**

Holding The Earth Together And Transmitting Moisture To Air
Otherwise Dry

**FACT NO. 1
More Trees - - - More Rain**

**THERE IS STILL TIME TO PLANT
FRUIT TREES - - - NUT TREES - - - SHADE TREES
"THE BEST THAT IS GROWN"**

Green Thumb Nursery

1026 North Main Street (Right on Highway 65)
Porterville, California

Waters

FUNERAL SERVICE

A MODERN FUNERAL HOME
CONVENIENTLY LOCATED

Deputy Coroner
Lady Attendant

Telephone 54-W
500 North E Street